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PASS TO AID/POPULATION

E. O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: SPOP, MX
SUBJECT: MEETING WITH SUBSECRETARY OF WELFARE CONCERNING
FAMILY PLANNING

REF: MEXICO 0271

1. EMBPOPOFF MET WITH NEW SUBSECRETARY OF WELFARE, DR. CARLOS GUAL, ON JAN 11. GUAL IS FORMER HEAD OF DEPT. OF BIOLOGY OF REPRODUCTION WITHIN NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF NUTRITION.

2. GUAL APPEARS TO BE EMERGING FROM RECENT POWER STRUGGLES WITHIN GOM AS NATIONAL COORDINATOR OF FAMILY PLANNING SERVICES FOR ALL AGENCIES.

3. GUAL MADE IT VERY CLEAR THAT WHILE HE IS EAGER TO GET BUSY EXPANDING FAMILY PLANNING SERVICES AND WOULD WELCOME US ASSISTANCE, SUCH ASSISTANCE SHOULD HAVE FIRST BEEN DISCUSSED AT THE HIGHEST LEVELS OF THE TWO GOVERN-MENTS. HE ALSO PREFERS THAT ANY SUCH AID BE OF A COMPREHENSIVE NATURE RATHER THAN IN DRIPS AND DRABS.

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4. WHILE HE IS CLEARLY IN FAVOR OF SURGICAL NETHODS OF CONTRACEPTION, ANY US AID, DIRECT OR INDIRECT, IN THE FORM OF LAPARASCOPES WOULD HAVE TO BE FOR TRAINING PURPOSES, AT LEAST FOR THE NEAR FUTURE DUE TO POLITICAL SENSITIVITY. HE MENTIONED THAT VOLUNTARY STERILIZATION EFFORTS WOULD CONCENTRATE ON WOMEN OVER THIRTY OR THOSE HAVING AT LEAST FIVE CHILDREN.

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